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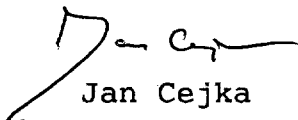
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Dear Dr. Friedman:

There is a petition (docket # 98P-0151/CP1) before the FDA urging your office to classify meat from sick and injured animals as adulterated and not acceptable for human consumption.

Such a classification would provide at least some protection for downed animals and a small step in the reduction of suffering of farm animals. I respectfully ask you to act on this petition.

Sincerely yours,



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